SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT U.S. Appln. No. 09/719,423

<u>REMARKS</u>

Claims 1-7 and 10-18 are pending in the present application. Claims 1 and 12 have been amended to correct typographical errors. No new matter has been added. Accordingly, entry of the present Amendment is requested.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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